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MEMORANDUM

TO: Health Officers
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SUBJECT: New Internet Pages for the Division of Outbreak Investigation

The Division of Outbreak Investigation has updated their Internet pages. Updated links include: outbreak data and graphs for 2002, Disease/Setting-Specific Guidelines, Communicable Diseases Investigation Forms, Publications/Abstracts, and links with contact information to each local health department. In addition, a new **secure restricted-access website** for use by local and state health department officials will also be available shortly. This page, which will require log-in and password identification will serve as another medium to provide important information quickly to local health departments.

The new Outbreak Investigation page may be accessed from the EDCP main page <http://www.edcp.org> or directly at: <http://edcp.org/html/otbkhmpg.html>.

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